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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PFOR, CY, US
SUBJECT: DAVIES TRIAL

1. MORNING JUNE 3 NICOSIA ASSIZES COURT RULED
ON DEFENSE MOTION THAT PROSECUTION HAD NOT ESTABLISHED
A PRIMA-FACIE CASE ON ANYOF THE COUNTS AGAINST KTIMATIAS AND
LEFTIS. COURT HELD THAT THE COUNTS OF HOMICIDE AND
"CONSPIRACY" (RESPONSIBILITY FOR RESULTS OF ILLEGAL CONCERTED
ACTION) WOULD BE DROPPED ON THE GOUNDS OF INSUFFICIENT EVIDENCE.

2. OTHER CHARGES WERE RETAINED. PROSECUTORS HAVE
SUBSEQUENTLY ADVISED US (TELEPHONICALLY) THAT MAXIMUM
PENALTY FOR RIOTING IS THREE YEARS; FOR CARRYING AND/OR USING
ILLEGAL FIREARMS, FIFTEEN YEARS.

3. WE HAVE BEEN PROMISED A COPY OF JUDGE DEMETRIADES' 20-PAGE
RULING ON MONDAY, JUNE 6. WE WILL REPORT HIGHLIGHTS
AT THAT TIME. DAVIES TRIAL RESUMES ON JUNE 13
WHEN THE DEFENSE COUNSEL WILL ADDRESS REMAINING
CHARGES AGAINST KTIMATIAS AND LEFTIS. THEY HAVE STATED
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DEFENDANTS WILL NOT TAKE THE STAND.
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